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PUBLIC NOTICE

To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for **Section 401 Water Quality Certification** by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana’s water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant:

Mr. Fred Kasten
Kasten Farms, Inc.
1232 S. CR 800 West
Francesville, IN 47943
2. Agent:

Ms. Tabatha Briones
Banning Engineering
853 Columbia Road, Ste. 101
Plainfield, IN 46168
3. Project location:

SW 1/4 Section 22, Township 30 North, Range 3 West, North Judson SE USGS Quadrangle Map
Project is located northeast of the intersection of S CR 800 W & W CR 200 S, near Francisville, Pulaski Co.
4. Affected waterbody:

Stout Hodge Ditch and unnamed tributary to Stout Hodge Ditch
5. Project Description:

The applicant proposes to install six crossings (10' of 36" pipe) at six locations within Stout Hodge Ditch to allow operation of an agricultural irrigation system (6-Tower Stationary Pivot). Additionally, the applicant proposes to encapsulate 680' of an unnamed tributary to Stout Hodge Ditch on his property in 680' of 18" diameter tile from CR 800 West to Stout Hodge Ditch. No mitigation is proposed.

- Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.
- Public Hearing:

Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.
- Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Ms. Liz Pelloso, Project Manager, at 317-233-2482. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM’s final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

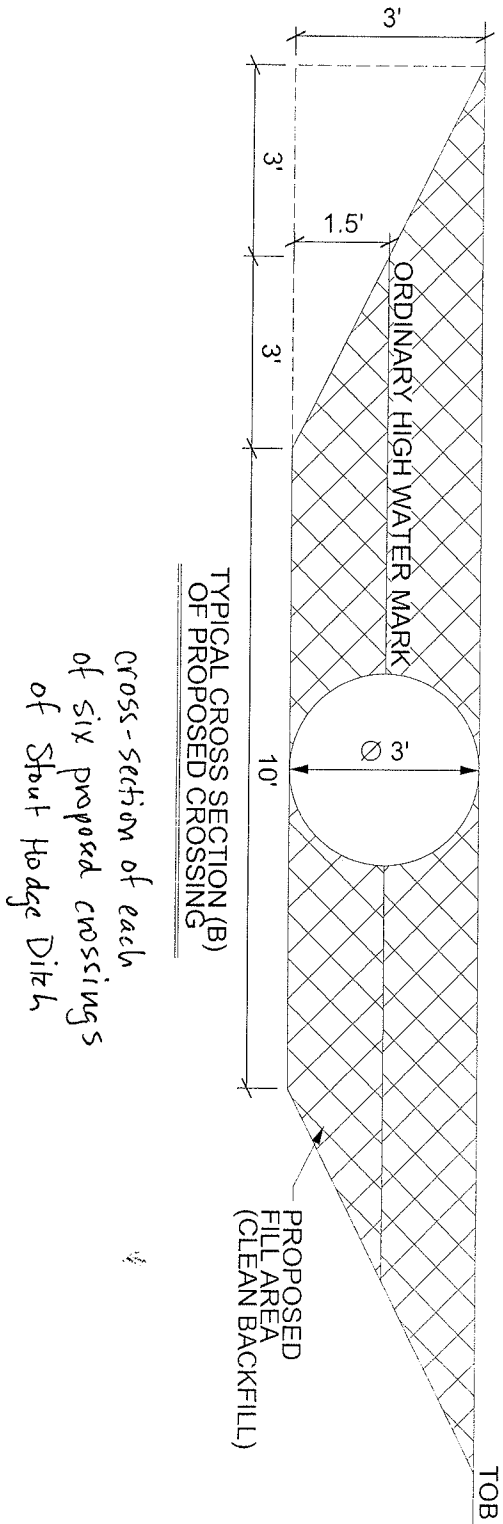
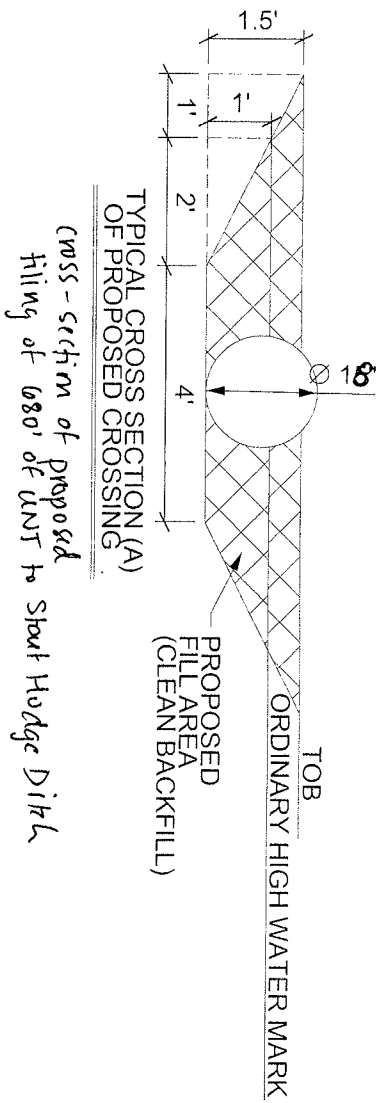
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Proposed Conditions
Hodge Ditch & Tributary
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